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11	IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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15	Councilmember Kathy Patterson and Councilmember Jack Evans introduced the
16 17	following legislation, which was referred to the Committee on
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19 20	To amend Title 47 of the District of Columbia Code to require that any real property tax
20	assessment that is revised by the Board of Real Property Assessment and Appeals
22	shall be the basis for subsequent assessments of a property.
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25	BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA,
26	That this act may be cited as the "Equity in Real Property Tax Assessment Act of 2003".
27	Sec. 2. Title 47 of the District of Columbia Code is amended as follows:
28	(a) Section 47-820 is amended by adding the following sentence at the end of
29	paragraph (a)(3):
30	"In the case of a property for which the most recent assessment has been changed
31	as a result of an appeal to the Board of Real Property Assessment and Appeals in
32	accordance with Section 47-825.01, the revised assessment determined by the Board shall
33	be the basis for the subsequent assessment by the Mayor, who shall take into account the
34	written decision of the Board and its reasoning in making the assessment.".
35	Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.

1	The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement in the Committee report as the
2	fiscal impact statement required by section 602(c)(3) of the District of Columbia Home
3	Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 913; D.C. Code §1-233(c)(3)).
4 5 6	Sec. 4. Effective date.
	This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto
7	by the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), a 30-day period of
8	Congressional review as provided in section 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Home
9	Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-
10	206 02(c)(1)), and publication in the District of Columbia Register.